Cases against Petrol Pumps and LPG dealers pending in MRTPC

1058. SHRI SHIV CHARAN SINGH: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of probe letters issued by the director General against the Petrol Pumps and LPG dealers during the last two years for violation of Monopolies and Trade Practices Act, 1969;

(b) the number of cases settled so far;

(c) whether several cases against these petrol pumps and LPG dealers are still pending in MRTPC;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(e) the action taken or proposed to be taken against them?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW, JUSTICE & COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI H.R. BHARDWAJ) (a) and (b) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

(c) to (e). There are 45 enquiries pending with the MRTP Commission against the LPG dealers/petrol pumps/oil companies for the last three years and the same are at different stages of consideration. The MRTP Commission is a quasi-judicial body and is required to follow the procedure laid in the MRTP Act, 1969, the Indian Penal Code and the Code of Civil Procedure. The time involved in disposing of the enquiries depends upon the nature of pleadings, the number of witnesses to be examined, securing and proving of documents, etc.

CPSUs referred to BIFR

1059. SHRI DIPANKAR MUKHERJEE:
SHRI NILOTPAL BASU:

Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the CPSUs referred to BIFR during 1991-92, 1992-93, 1993-94 and 1994-95 year-wise;

(b) how many of them have been cleared for rehabilitation by BIFR so far with date of sanction of the scheme;

(c) the present status of schemes under implementation; and

(d) the number of cases where show-cause notice for winding up has been served as no promoter could be found after Government refused to act as promoter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DR. C. SILVERA): (a) to (d). The number of Central PSUs referred to BIFR and registered with BIFR during Calander year 1991, 1992, 1993 and 1994 year-wise are Nil, 38, 7 and 8 respectively. Their names and year-wise registration are given in Statement-I *(See* below). The BIFR have so far cleared the rehabilitation packages in respect of 12 PSUs. Their names and date of sanction of the scheme are given in Statement-II (*See* below). The present status of the scheme under implementation is given in Statement III *(See* below). The BIFR have issued Show-Cause Notice for winding up in the case of 9 PSUs, out of which employees of 5 PSUs have moved the Hon'ble Calcutta High Court, for grant of Stay Order and Hon'ble Court, have granted Stay Order against, final pronouncement of recommendation of BIFR proceedings.

Statement-I

Central PSUs Referred to BIFR During 1992

Sl. No.	*Case No.*	*Company*	*State*	*Status*	*Date of Order*
1.	501/92	Bhart Pumps & Compressors Ltd.	Uttar Pradesh	18(4)	31-8-95
2.	502/92	Nagaland Pulp & Paper Co. Ltd.	Nagaland	Winding Up Notice	1-3-94
3.	503/92	IDPL	Haryana	17(2)	1-2-94
4.	504/92	Scooter India Ltd.	Uttar Pradesh	Under Enquiry	
5.	505/92	Bharat Gold Mines Ltd.	Karnataka	Under Enquiry	
6.	506/92	Tannery & Footwear Co. Ltd.	Uttar Pradesh	20(1)	14-2-95
7.	507/92	Triveni Structural Ltd.	Uttar Pradesh	18(4)	31-8-95
8.	508/92	Cycle Corpn. of India Ltd.	West Bengal	Stay Order by Courts	
9.	509/92	Richardson Crudas Ltd.	Maharashtra	Draft Scheme	31-7-95
10.	510/92	Mining And Allied Machinery Corpn. Ltd.	West Bengal	Stay Order by Courts	7-2-95
11.	511/92	Heavy Engineering Corpn. Ltd.	Bihar	Under Enquiry	
12.	512/92	Vignayan Industries Ltd.	Karnataka	18(4)	9-5-95
13.	513/92	National Bicycle Corpn. of India Ltd.	Maharashtra	20(1)	20.12.93
14.	514/92	Orissa Drug And Chemicals Ltd.	Orissa	18(4)	18-8-94
15.	515/92	Fertilizer Corpn. of India Ltd.	Bihar	Under Enquiry	
16.	516/92	Hindustan Fertilizer Corpn. Ltd.	Assam	Under Enquiry	
17.	517/92	Biecco Lawrie	West Bengal	Declared No Longer Sick	28-4-95
18.	518/92	British India Corpn. Ltd.	Uttar Pradesh	20(1)	30-9-94
19.	519/92	The Elgin Mills Ltd.	Uttar Pradesh	20(1)	30-9-94
20.	520/92	Bharat Process and Mechnical Ltd.	West Bengal	Stary Order by Courts	22-4-94

1	2	3	4	5	6
21.	521/92	Project and Development	Bihar	Under Enqiry	
22.	522/92	Mandya National Paper Ltd.	Karnataka	Winding up Notice	7-1-94
23.	523/92	Tyre Corpn. Ltd.	West Bengal	Draft Scheme	
24.	524/92	Weighbird India Ltd.	West Bengal	Stay Order by Court	10-12-93
25.	525/92	Bharat Referactories Ltd.	Bihar	Draft Scheme	7-2-95
26.	526792	Bharat Brcakcs And Valves Ltd.	West Bengal	18(4)	5-1-95
27.	527/92	Cawnpore Textile Ltd.	Uttar Pradesh	20(1)	19-1-95
28.	528/92	Braithwaite Ltd.	West Bengal	18(4)	17-10-95
29.	529/92	Smith Stanistreet Pharmaceutical Ltd.	West Bengal	18(4)	31-8-94
30.	530/92	U.P. Drugs And Pharmaceutical Ltd.	Uttar Pradesh	18(4)	31-8-95
31.	531/92	National Instrument Ltd.	West Bengal	Stay Order by Courts	31-10-94
32.	532/92	Bharat Opthalmic Glass Ltd.	West Bengal	Winding up Notice	23-11-94
33.	533/92	Bengal Chemical & Pharmaceutical Ltd.	West Bengal	18(4)	31-3-95
34.	534/92	National Textile Corpn. Ltd.	Karnataka	Under Enquiry	
35.	535/92	NTC (Gujarat) Ltd.	Gujarat	Under Enquiry	
36.	536/92	NTC (Maharashtra North) Ltd.	Maharashtra	Draft Scheme	6-1-95
37.	537/92	India Firebricks & Insulation Co. Ltd.	Bihar	Draft Scheme	7-2-95
38.	538/92	Bengal Immunity Ltd.	West Bengal	18(4)	8-1-95

List of Central PSUs , Referred to BIFR During 1993

SI. No.	Case No.	Company	State	Status	Date of Order
1.	501/93	NTC(MP)	Madhya Pradesh	Under Enquiry	
2	502/93	Mica Trading Corpr Ltd.	Bihar	Winding up Notice	9-3-94
3.	503/93	NTC(WB A B & O)	West Bengal	Under Enquiry	

1	2	3	4	5	6
4.	504/93	NTC(UP) Ltd.	Uttar Pradesh	Under Enquiry	
5.	505/93	NTC(South Maharashtra) Ltd.	Maharashtra	Under Enquiry	
6.	506/93	National Jute Manufacturers Corpn.	West Bengal	Under Enquiry	
7.	507/93	NTC (South Maharashtra) Kohinoor Mills	Maharashtra	N.M.	1-2-94
8.	508/93	Atherion Mills	Uttar Pradesh	N.M.	8-2-94
9.	509/93	Instrumentation Ltd.	Rajasthan	Under Enquiry	

List of Central PSUs Referred to BIFR During 1994

SI. No.	Case No	Company	State	Status	Date of Order
1.	501/94	NTC(DPR) Ltd.	New Delhi	Draft Scheme	30-11-94
2.	502/94	Damodhar Cement And Slag Ltd.	West Bengal	Under Enquiry	
3.	503/94	IIsco Ujjain Pipe & Foundary Co. Ltd.	Madhya Pradesh	Under Enquiry	
4.	504/94	Southern Pesticides Corpn. Ltd.	Andhra Pradesh	Under Enquiry	
5.	505/94	The Indian Iron & Steel Co. Ltd.	West Bengal	Under Enquiry	
6.	506/94	Rayrolle Burn Ltd.	West Bengal	Under Enquiry	
7.	507/94	Hindustan Flurocarbons Ltd.	Andhra Pradesh	Under Enquiry	
8.	508/94	Burn Standard Co. Ltd.	West Bengal	Under Enquiry	

Statment-II

*Name of PSUs in Which Revival Scheme has Been Approved By **BIFR***

SI. No.	Name of PSUs	Date of sanction of scheme
1.	Indian Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Ltd.	01.02.94
2.	Bengal Immunities Ltd.	03.01.95
3.	Bharat Brakes & Valves Ltd.	05.01.95
4.	Bengal Chemicals & Pharmaceuticals Ltd.	31.03.95
5.	Biecco Lawrie Ltd.	28.04.95

SI. No.	Name of PSUs	Date of sanction of scheme
6.	Vigyan Industries Ltd.	09.05.95
7.	Orissa Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Ltd.	18.08.95
8.	Bharat Pumps & Compressors Ltd.	31.08.95
9.	Triveni Structurals Ltd.	31.08.95
10.	Smith Stanistreet Pharmaceuticals Ltd.	31.08.95
11.	U.P. Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Ltd.	31.08.95
12.	Braithwaite &. Co. Ltd.	17.10.95

Statement-III

Status *of Scheme Approved by BIFR under Implementation*

(1) *Indian Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Ltd:*

The revival plan approved by BIFR on 10.2.94 is for a period of 10 years beginning from 1994-95. In the first year of revival operation IDPL have shown improvement in the performance. The Government have upto 30.11.95 released a total sum of Rs. 10 crores comprising a non-plan loan of Rs. 4 crores and a plan loan of Rs. 6 crores.

(2) *Bengal Chemicals & Pharmaceuticals Ltd:*

The revival plan sanctioned by BIFR is for *a* period of 10 years beginning from 1994-95. The production during the year 1994-95 has registered a growth of 25% over previous year 1993-94. The Government have provided a sum of Rs. 1 crore on account of plan, a sum of Rs. 3.10 crores as a non-plan working capital loan and a sum of Rs. 2.50 crores as grant-in-aid for implementation of Voluntary Retirement Scheme.

(3) *Bengal Immunity Ltd:*

The revival package approved by BIFR is for a period of 10 years beginning from 1994-95. During the year 1994-95, the net loss has come down significantly. The Govt. provided a sum of Rs. 25 lakhs, as equity, a sum of Rs. 25 lakhs as a plan loan and Rs. 4.37 crores as non plan working loan. A sum of Rs. 1 crore has been given as grant-in-aid for implementation of Voluntary Retirement Scheme during the year 1994-95.

(4) *Smith Stanistreet Pharmaceuticals Ltd:*

The revival plan approved by BIFR is for a period of 10 years beginning from 1994-95. There is no significant improvement in performance of the company during the first year of implementation. The shortfall in the performance of the company during 1994-95 arc attributed to weak marketing set up, loss of market on account of inadequate supplies, loss of creditabilily etc. The Government released a sum of Rs. 4.32 crores including a non-plan working capital loan of Rs. 3.80 crores and a grant in aid of Rs. 0.05 crore during year 1994-95.

(5) *U.P. Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Ltd:*

The revival operation in the case of company is to begin from 1995-96.

(6) *Orissa Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Ltd:*

The revival plan sanctioned by BIFR arc for a period of 10 years beginning from 1994-95. The company incurred a net loss of Rs. 31 lakhs in the first year of implementation of revival package.

(7) *Biecco Lawrie Ltd:*

On account of implementation of revival package the company has turned around and BIFR have declared the company no longer sick.

(8) *Vigyan Industries Ltd:*

The BIFR has approved a comprehensive revival package covering financial restructuring, capital expenditure and various other reliefs and concessions which arc in operation. As a result the company earned profit during 1994-95.

(9) *Bharat Brakes & Valves Ltd:*

The revival scheme approved by BIFR in January, 1995 for implementation was without the consent of Government. The Group of Ministers considered the revival scheme and found that operating agency report is were liberal. BIFR has been requested to modify the sanctioned scheme and BIFR have decided to sanction fresh scheme. The fresh/revised sanction is obtained.

(10) & (11) *Bharat Pumps Compressors Ltd. and Triveni Structurals Ltd:*

The sanctioned scheme for these companies requires relesed of funds, financial restructuring and provisions of counter guarantee to SBI for providing banking facility for implementation of the revival scheme. Plan & non-plan funds as per immediate requirement of the companies have been released. The financial restruct ring and provisions of counter guarantee to SBI is under active consideration of the Govt.

(12) *Braithwaite & Co. Ltd.:*

The sanctioned scheme of the company has been received recently and action is being taken for restructuring and release of funds.

ग्रामीण लोगों को रोजगार

1062. **श्री राजीलाल** : क्या ग्रामीण क्षेत्र और रोजगार मंत्री यह बताते की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क)क्या सरकार को इस बात की जानकारी हैं कि गांवों में रहने वाले रोजगार लोगों को विभिन्न योजनाओं के अंतर्गत रोजगार नहीं मिल रहा हैं;

(ख)उसके क्या कारण हैं;

(ग) गत तीन वर्षों के दौरान प्रदान किए गए रोजगार का राज्य-वार ब्यौरा क्या हैं; और

(घ)इस वर्ष्ज इस प्रयोजनार्थ कितनी धनराशि आबंटित की गई हैं और जिला विकास ग्रामीण अभिकरण द्वारा इस राशि को किस प्रकार से खर्च किया जाएगा?

ग्रामीण क्षेत्र और रोजगार मंत्रालय (ग्रामीण रोजगार और गरीबी उन्नमूलन विभाग) में राज्य मंत्री (श्री विलास मुतेमवार) : (क) से (ग) यह सत्य नहीं हैं कि गांवों में बेरोजगार लोगों को विभिन्न रोजगार सृजन योजनाओं के अंतर्गत रोजगार नहीं मिल रहा हैं। जवाहर रोजगार योजना और सुनिश्चित रोजगार योजना, मंत्रालय द्वारा गांवों में बेरोजगार लोगों को रोजगार के अवसर मुहैया कराने के लिए कार्यान्वित की जा रही दो प्रमुख मजदूरी रोजगार योजनाएं हैं। गत तीन वर्षों के दौरान इन कार्यक्रमों के अंतर्गत राज्सवार सृजित रोजगार को दर्शाने वाला विवरण –I और II में हैं। (नीचे देखिए)

(घ) वर्ष 1995-96 के लिए केन्द्र द्वारा जवाहर रोजगार के अंतर्गत 3862.00 करोड़ रूपये तथा सुनिश्चित रोजगार योजना के अंतर्गत किए गए हैं। जवाहर रोजगार योजना के अंतर्गत जिलों के लिए रिलीज की गई निधियो में से संअबंधित जिला ग्रामीण विकास एजेन्सी/जिला परिषदों द्वारा इन्दिरा आवास योजना और दस लाख कुओं की योजना के निर्धारितए क्षेत्रो के लिए निधियां मुहैया कराने के उपरांत पंचायतों को 80 प्रतिशत निधियां रिलीज की जानी होती हैं। सुनिश्चित रोजगार योजना के कार्यों को जिला स्तर पर कार्यान्वित किया जाता हैं।